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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

EXAMINING GROUP 2853

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
		:	Examiner: Jacky X. Zheng
Jun FUJISAWA et al.)	
		:	Group Art Unit: 2625
Application No.: 10/602,119)	
		:	Confirmation No.: 9105
Filed: June 23, 2003)	
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For:	IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS)	
	THAT EXECUTES AN IMAGE	:	
	TRIMMING PROCESS WITH)	
	PRIORITY OVER OTHER	:	
	COMMANDS, METHOD THEREFOR,)		
	AND STORAGE MEDIUM STORING :		
	A PROGRAM THEREFOR)	January 28, 2008

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated August 28, 2007, by two months, from November 28, 2007, to January 28, 2008. The amount of \$460.00 for payment of the extension fee is being paid electronically.

Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

In response to the final Official Action mailed August 28, 2007, the

Examiner is requested to amend the above-identified application as follows.